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Most recently, Angela was Vice President of Corporate Communications for the Motion Picture Association of America (MPAA) where she managed strategic initiatives and public relations issues for the association's CEO and other executives.

Angela's career began with managing a successful campaign in Indiana for state representative which helped the House Democrats win back control of the Indiana House. She went on to serve as Communications Director for her hometown congressman and Deputy Press Secretary and Co-director of Communications for Indiana Governor Frank O'Bannon. In both roles, Angela acted as spokesperson, developed and coordinated media and messaging strategies and worked closely with external stakeholders. She also managed a top-of-the-ticket campaign for secretary of state in Indiana and served as a Regional Political and Communications Director at the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee.

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